

COUNTRY Eastern Germany 25X1 REPORT NO.
 TOPIC Military information from the Ruedersdorf-Kalkberge Installation

EVALUATION 25X1 PLACE OBTAINED 25X1

DATE OF CONTENT 9 to 19 September 1952

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1. During the period from 9 to 19 September 1952, the quarters in the tunnel at Ruedersdorf-Kalkberge (N 53/V 14) were occupied by 11 officers, including 1 major, and about 110 men who wore black-bordered black and red-bordered black epaulets. Except for Saturdays and Sundays, 1 officer and 32 men who carried light equipment daily left the installation for the easternmost section of the under round installation for firing practices. Every evening, the personnel quartered at the installation fell in for inspection. Another ventilation shaft was being built by two engineers from the Schulz and Krause firm of Frankfurt/Oder and detached soldiers. The shaft is 40 meters long and consists of 3 iron tubes arranged closely together. Each tube has a diameter of about 50 cm and consists of sections 5 meters long. A temporary building with dressing rooms and showers was being built west of the northern exit. The completion date for this building was 25 September.

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18 September, 4 trucks each towing a closed trailer entered the installation. The trucks and trailers left 3 hours later and headed toward Strausberg. *

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2. Since the summer of 1952, 5 three-story barracks buildings, each 35 meters long, have been under construction at the edge of a woods near the fork formed by the Ruedersdorf-Fuerstenwalde and the Ruedersdorf Lichtenow roads, east of Ruedersdorf. A power station belonging to the complex of buildings was completed. that these buildings were earmarked for headquarters units. **

- 25X1 Comment. This information indicates that there were no changes at the Rueders-
- 25X1 dorf-Kalkberge installation which is scheduled to be occupied by a headquarters.
- 25X1 It is believed that the temporary building under construction will
- 25X1 quarter guard personnel.
- 25X1 Comment. Information on the intended construction of these barracks buildings
- 25X1 was received previously. A total of 18 two-story buildings was scheduled to be
- 25X1 constructed, allegedly for the future East-German Army.
- 25X1 work on these buildings had not started in August 1952. It
- 25X1 appears possible that these barracks buildings will quarter elements of a high-
- 25X1 echelon headquarters.